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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT FORD TO MOBUTU

1. RECOMMEND PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT FORD TO
PRESIDENT MOBUTU ALONG FOLLOWING LINES:

2. "ON BEHALF OF ALL AMERICANS I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS
OUR APPRECIATION FOR THE WARM HOSPITALITY EXTENDED BY
ZAIRE TO TWO GREAT AMERICAN FIGHTERS AND TO THE MANY
OTHER AMERICANS WHO CAME TO ZAIRE FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP
BOUT. ZAIRE, THROUGH ITS OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO A
SPORTING EVENT OF WORLD SIGNIFICANCE, HAS ACHIEVED ANOTHER
HISTORIC "FIRST." CONGRATULATIONS, WARMEST PERSONAL
WISHES. GERALD R. FORD."
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